Appl. No. 10/516,635 Amdt. dated May 24, 2005 Reply to Notification of Missing Requirements of March 24, 2005

REMARKS

Applicants request entry of this amendment in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821 to 1.825. This amendment is accompanied by a floppy disk containing the above named sequences, SEQ ID NOS:1-16, in computer readable form, and a paper copy of the sequence information which has been printed from the floppy disk.

The information contained in the computer readable disk was prepared through the use of the software program "PatentIn" and is identical to that of the paper copy. This amendment contains no new matter.

Enclosed is a NOTIFICATION OF ERROR IN SMALL ENTITY STATUS AND PAYMENT OF DEFICIENCY OWED UNDER 37 CFR §1.28(c)

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 415-576-0200.

Respectfully submitted,

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Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application filed by Express Mail on November 30, 2004, inadvertently claimed small entity status. The error was made without deceptive intent.

The following submission and itemization are submitted to meet the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.28(c)(1) and (c)(2). Applicants respectfully request the total deficiency payment be processed as set out below and that the error be excused.

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ITEMIZATION AND CALCULATION OF THE DEFICIENCY OWED

	SMALL FEE	(CURRENT)	DEFICIENCY
TYPE OF FEE	ACTUALLY	LARGE FEE	PAYMENT
	PAID	APPLIED	OWED
	11/30/2004		
U.S. National Stage Filing Fee	\$365	·	
U.S. Basic Nation Fee		\$300	
Examination Fee		\$200	
Search Fee		\$100	
Totals	\$365	\$600	\$235

Applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to deduct the total fees of \$235.00 from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please deduct any additional fees from, or credit any overpayment to, the above-noted Deposit Account. This authorization is submitted in duplicate.

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